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Sir:

On March 18, 2005 counsel for Applicant submitted an Assertion of Small Entity Status, Request for Suspension of Rules and Request for Refund in the above captioned application (copies enclosed). Receipt was acknowledged by the United States Patent and Trademark Office on March 22, 2005, of which a copy of the dated return postal card as well as the dated Certificate of Mailing are enclosed.

Because of the extended period of time that has passed, Applicant respectfully inquires as to the status of the subject application and, in particular, the status of such refund request of \$540.00 on the papers submitted March 18, 2005.

Request is respectfully made for further action on the request for refund.

Respectfully submitted,

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